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MINISTRY OF STEEL, MINES & METALS

(Department of Mines and Metals)

NOTIFICATION

*New Delhi, the 30th March 1968*

G S.R. 634.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the Mines and Minerals (Regulation and Development) Act, 1957 (67 of 1957), the Central Government hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Mineral Concession Rules, 1960, namely:—

1. (1) These rules may be called the Mineral Concession (Second Amendment) Rules, 1968.

(2) They shall come into force on the 1st day of April, 1968.

2. In the Mineral Concession Rules, 1960,—

(1) in rule 29, after the existing proviso, the following Proviso shall be added, namely:—

“Provided further that where a lessee applies for the surrender of the whole or a part of lease-hold area on the ground that such area is barren or the deposits of minerals have since exhausted or depleted to such an extent that it is no longer economical to work such area, the State Government shall permit the lessee, from the date of receipt

of the application, to surrender that area if the following conditions are satisfied, namely:—

- (a) the leasehold area to be surrendered has been properly surveyed and is contiguous,
  - (b) the lessee has paid all the dues payable to the Government under the lease up to the date of application,
  - and (c) surrender of the area by the lessee has not already been permitted for more than once.”;
- (ii) for Schedule IV, the following Schedule shall be substituted, namely:—

“SCHEDULE IV

*Dead Rent*

[See rule 27(1) (c)]

Period of the mining lease	Rate of dead rent per hectare
1. 1st year	Nil.
2. 2nd year to 5th year.	Rs. 12·50
3. 6th year to 10th year.	Rs. 25·00
4. 11th year onwards.....	Rs. 37·50”

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